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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: JACKSON Participation

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1. The following subjects were discussed during [REDACTED]
visit to Headquarters:

a. [REDACTED] indicated problems existing
in his Headquarters in acquainting people with the new concept
of operations for the JACKSON/IDEALIST program. He requested
several studies to include information on the following items:

- (1) Bases required.
- (2) Number of personnel involved.
- (3) Length of operations liability period.
- (4) Support aircraft requirements, including [REDACTED] 25X1C
- (5) Logistical support requirements, including pre-positioning of fuel, oils, etc., at [REDACTED] bases. 25X1C
- (6) Time required to deploy.
- (7) Location of processing facility.
- (8) Estimated elapsed time for initial readout and availability of photography to the [REDACTED] 25X1C

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b. Initial questions which require a position by the [redacted] include the following:

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25X1C (1) Can [redacted] pilots ferry U-2 aircraft in support of U. S. operations?

25X1C (2) Can the [redacted] pilots participate in rotation to Detachment B?

25X1C (3) Will the [redacted] allow use of [redacted] bases for U-2 operations, either JACKSON or IDEALIST?

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25X1C 2. Subsequent to this discussion [redacted] was asked to establish a position relative to Operations Policy Letter II for [redacted] pilots. He advised verbally that this subject had been discussed with [redacted] and that Operations Policy Letter II will apply to [redacted] pilots in this program.

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